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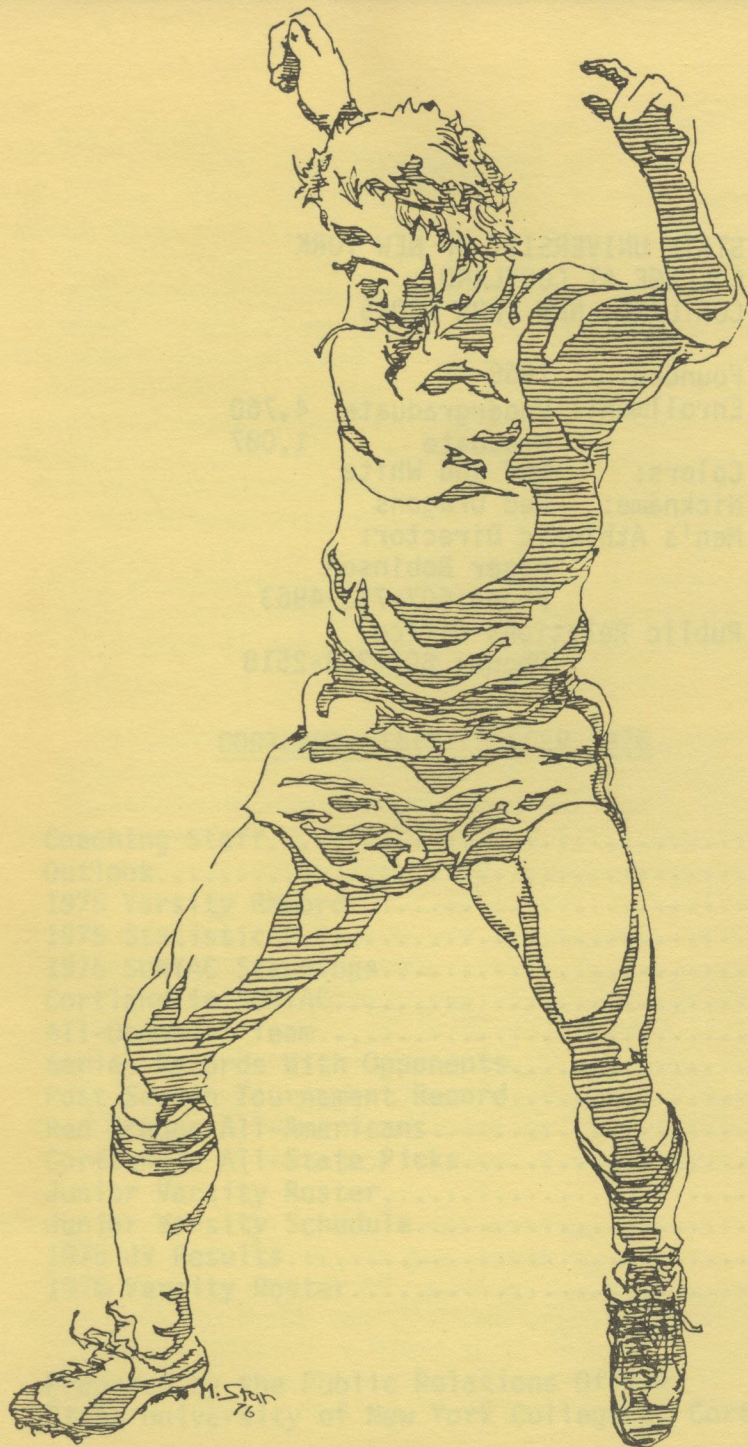
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CORTLAND STATE SOCCER 1976

STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK
COLLEGE AT CORTLAND
CORTLAND, NEW YORK 13045

Founded: 1868
Enrollment: Undergraduate 4,760
Graduate 1,087
Colors: Red and White
Nickname: Red Dragons
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CORTLAND STATE SOCCER 1976

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THE CORTLAND COACHING STAFF

FRED TAUBE

HEAD COACH

For Fred Taube, 1976 is his fourth season as head coach of varsity soccer at Cortland State. In the past three seasons, Taube's teams have compiled a 24-10-8 won-loss record. Taube-coached squads have won two ECAC Regional Soccer Tournaments (1973 & 1974) and the 1974 team set a school record for allowing the fewest goals in a season (7 for a remarkable .467 per game average).

This is a special year for Fred Taube as he has been elected president of the National Soccer Coaches Association after serving in 1975 as first vice-president.

Taube is a graduate of State University College at Brockport and received his master's degree from the University of North Carolina. Since coming to Cortland in 1970, he received his doctorate from the University of Utah.

In addition to his duties as soccer coach, Taube is an associate professor of physical education and is assistant indoor track coach.

Taube was named State University of New York Athletic Conference Coach of the Year in 1973, his first year as head coach. Prior to 1973, he had been the J.V. soccer coach at Cortland.

Before joining the Faculty at Cortland, Taube was a coach of track and soccer at MacMurray College. Prior to that, he taught at Auburn University, where he also was coach of the soccer club.

Filling the shoes of Chuck Winters may not be an easy task, but look for Bill Murray to step into the junior varsity soccer coaching job and continue the Cortland tradition of excellence. Winters is an assistant coach for Cortland's football team this fall.

Murray, a Toronto native, spent three very busy years at Cornell where he received his undergraduate degree in business. During his sophomore and junior years he played soccer and hockey. In his senior year he played just hockey, and was named team captain. Add to that the fact that he kicked field goals for the Cornell football team in his junior year and you get the picture of a well-traveled young man.

The former soccer All-American (centerback his junior season) and All-East team member in hockey (right defenseman in junior and senior years) is currently working on a master's degree in physical education at Cortland. He also will serve as an assistant director of the College's Ice Arena.

Murray was the number one draft choice of the Toronto Metros professional soccer team after graduating from college, and he also has been invited to try-out camps of the St. Louis Blues and the Philadelphia Flyers of the National Hockey League.

"PROF" HOLLOWAY

No Cortland State soccer guide would be complete without a mention of the man who built the Red Dragon soccer program for 35 years. T. Fred "Prof" Holloway retired from active . . .

coaching in 1973 when Fred Taube assumed the varsity coaching position.

From 1936 to 1972 Holloway guided the Red Dragon booters (formerly the Red Mules) to a record of 183 wins, 89 losses, and 23 ties. Until Taube took command, there had never been another head soccer coach at Cortland.

The Holloway ledger shows 4 NCAA and 1 ECAC tournament invitations, 6 SUNYAC championships, 19 All-Americans, 39 All-State players, and 39 All-SUNYAC selections.

SOCCER OUTLOOK

The Cortland State Red Dragon soccer team enters the 1976 season hoping to repeat the success achieved in the first half of the 1975 season and hoping to avoid the lack of success achieved in the last half of the season.

Winning their first six games, the Red Dragons appeared headed for their first NCAA tournament bid since 1966. However, the second half of the schedule proved much tougher and the Red Dragon booters were able to muster only a 1-4-1 record the rest of the way.

Fred Taube heads into his fourth season as the head soccer coach at Cortland hoping to build this year's squad into a consistent winner and a true contender for an NCAA bid.

The 1976 squad marks the beginning of the "Taube Era" at Cortland. "The last group of players to play under 'Prof' Holloway graduated last year and this new group is sort of like a whole new era", proclaims Taube. "We'll be a much younger club this year but we feel it will be a combination of youth and experience."

Youth will indeed play an important role in the Cortland soccer fortunes in 1976. As many as four sophomores could appear in the starting line-up and Taube foresees the possibility of several freshmen and transfer students playing an important role as well.

The list of 1975 graduates may be difficult to replace. All-Conference and All-New York State team member Jim Jordan heads the list, followed closely by defensive standouts Elliot Simon and George Weissman. On attack the two veteran forwards Mark Britt and Paul Gannon also have departed.

On the bright side, returning to bolster the defense will be veteran goalie Tom Wignot and fullbacks Fred Hooper, Jim DeVoy, Phil Wingut and Brad Over.

Taube will be moving Bill Beebe and Kevin Tucker from their customary fullback spots to halfback where they will be joined by Tom Predmore, John Cossaboon and Rick Sifuentes.

Returning at forward will be 1975 All-SUNYAC team member Perry Nizzi who led last year's club in scoring with 4 goals and 2 assists. Tom Porrazzo and Millett Day who tied for second in scoring last season will be joined up front by Tom Brewer and Tim Sullivan.

New Players who may break into the line-up include Dave Law (Morrisville ATC), Mike Skivington (Monroe C.C.) and freshman Neale Moore.

Taube is looking to his three captains, John Cossaboon, Kevin Tucker and Tom Wignot, to supply the on-the-field leadership which will enable the Red Dragons to control the tempo of the game.

"After viewing the soccer played at the

Olympics in Montreal, I've decided to experiment with a type of man-to-man coverage this year," states Taube. In this type of set-up there will be four halfbacks and four fullbacks. There will be a "sweeper" halfback and fullback who will not play man-to-man but the other three halfbacks and fullbacks will follow their man even if there is a change of field.

Taube continues, "I am not thinking of the 4-4-2 in defensive terms. We can actually run as many as 6 men on offense at one time and a lot will depend on the 'up' forwards." If the "up" forwards are successful at playing 1-on-1 and 1-on-2, then Taube's game plan may also be highly successful. "Tom Porrazzo is an extremely good 1-on-1 player and Millett Day can really "knock heads"," comments their coach.

Around the SUNY Athletic Conference, Taube sees Albany and Oneonta as real challengers with young but very talented players. Binghamton and Brockport also will be leading contenders for conference honors. "One thing about it," says Taube, "we play all of the contenders." For the Red Dragons, that fact alone will prove just how good they really are in '76.

1975 VARSITY SOCCER RECORD

Won 7, Lost 4, Tied 1

Cortland	5	Potsdam	0
Cortland	2	Geneseo	1
Cortland	3	Ithaca	0
Cortland	1	RPI	0

Cortland	2	Albany	1
Cortland	3	Syracuse	1
Cortland	1	Colgate	2
Cortland	2	Plattsburgh	2
Cortland	0	Cornell	7
Cortland	0	Brockport	2
Cortland	2	New Paltz	1
Cortland	1	Oneonta	2

1975 VARSITY SOCCER STATISTICS

	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Assists</u>	<u>Shots</u>	<u>Saves</u>
Cortland	22	13	189	104
Opponents	19	13	134	116

INDIVIDUAL SCORING

	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Assists</u>	<u>Points</u>
Perry Nizi	4	2	6
Millett Day	4	1	5
Tom Porrazzo	3	2	5
Paul Gannon	2	2	4
Mark Britt	2	1	3
John Cossaboon	1	2	3
Tom Brewer	2	0	2
Jim Jordan	2	0	2
Tim Sullivan	1	0	1
Kevin Tucker	1	0	1
Bruce Ferguson	0	1	1
Elliot Simon	0	1	1
George Weissman	0	1	1

GOAL TENDING

	<u>Games</u>	<u>Saves</u>	<u>GA</u>
Tom Wignot	12	90	14
Scott Manning	2	10	5

1975 SUNYAC STANDINGS

<u>Team</u>	<u>Won</u>	<u>Lost</u>	<u>Ties</u>	<u>Pts.</u>
Oneonta	5	0	2	12
Brockport	6	1	0	12
Fredonia	5	1	0	10
Cortland	4	2	1	9
Albany	4	2	1	9
Binghamton	3	2	1	7
Plattsburgh	3	3	1	7
Geneseo	2	4	0	4
New Paltz	1	6	0	2
Oswego	1	6	0	2
Potsdam	0	7	0	0

CORTLAND IN SUNYAC

1975 Tie 4th	1966 Tie 3rd
1974 Tie 2nd	1965 2nd
1973 Tie 4th	1964 1st
1972 Tie 1st	1963 1st
1971 4th	1962 1st
1970 4th	1961 2nd
1969 2nd	1960 1st
1968 Tie 3rd	1959 1st
1967 4th	

CORTLAND'S 1975 ALL-OPPONENT TEAM

Brickman, Colgate	G	Ellman, Plattsburgh
Holbrook, Cornell	BK	Emerson, Cornell
Capener, Cornell	BK	Downs, Oneonta
Percy, Plattsburgh	BK	Nwizugbo, Oneonta
Collins, Oneonta	BK	Vislocky, Brockport
Rose, Albany	BK	Gompels, Syracuse
Small, Colgate	Frd	Burgas, Ithaca
Thompkins, Syracuse	Frd	Curi, Brockport
Mut, Cornell	Frd	McLean, Brockport
Saramen, Cornell	Frd	Materi, New Paltz
Reist, Geneseo	Frd	Selca, Albany

SERIES RECORDS WITH OPPONENTS

<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Cort.</u>	<u>Opp.</u>	<u>Ties</u>
Albany	4	0	1
American Int.	1	0	0
Army	3	3	1
Bard	1	0	0
Brockport	11	14	4
Buffalo	4	0	0
Buffalo St.	11	2	0
Colgate	6	8	2
Connecticut	0	1	0
Cornell	12	16	3
Cornell Fr.	5	0	0
E. Stroudsburg	12	6	1
Fredonia	7	1	1
Geneseo	6	0	1
Hamilton	20	1	2
Hartwick	0	1	0
Hobart	10	1	1
Howard	0	0	1
Ithaca	29	12	6
Long Island	0	1	0
Manlius	3	2	0

Mansfield	1	0	1
New Paltz	7	4	0
Oneonta	6	4	0
Oswego	17	1	1
Panzer	3	5	1
Plattsburgh	10	1	1
Potsdam	7	0	2
RPI	14	12	2
Rochester	12	4	2
St. Lawrence	1	0	0
Sherrill HS	3	1	0
Siena	2	0	0
Springfield	5	11	1
Syracuse	15	4	1
Syracuse Fr.	7	3	1
Syr. Turners	0	0	1
Union	1	0	0
Westchester	0	4	0
Wilkes	2	0	0

POST-SEASON TOURNAMENTS

NCAA TOURNAMENTS

1960-Connecticut 4, Cortland 3
 1962-Hartwick 3, Cortland 1
 1964-Army 4, Cortland 3
 1966-Long Island 6, Cortland 1

ECAC UPSTATE NEW YORK REGIONALS

1972-Hobart 3, Cortland 2
 1973-Cortland 2, Buffalo St. 0
 Cortland 1, Rochester 0
 1974-Cortland 3, St. Lawrence 1
 Cortland 1, Union 0

RED DRAGON ALL-AMERICANS

- 1966 Richard Spina-Hon. Men.
1965 Richard Joseph-Hon. Men.
1962 Raul Fardy-1st Team
1961 John Eden-2nd Team
Jim McGuidwin-Hon. Men.
1960 Chris Sweeney-1st Team
Ron Zorn-Hon. Men.
1959 Chris Sweeney-Hon. Men.
1957 Herman Druckman-Hon. Men.
1954 Vincent Palmieri-1st Team
Clarence Mephram-2nd Team
George McCabe-Hon. Men.
1953 Vincent Palmieri-1st Team
1952 Joseph Levorchick-Hon. Men.
1951 William Milhaven-Hon. Men.
1949 William Milhaven-Hon. Men.
1948 Robert Brown-1st Team
1947 Emilio DaBramo-2nd Team
1946 Walter Suess-2nd Team

CORTLAND'S ALL-SUNYAC SELECTIONS

- 1975-Jim Jordan-B
Perry Nizzi-F
1974-Jim Jordan-B
Chris Tyson-B
Ed Bulgin-G
1973-Don Murphy-F
Dick Hooper-F
Jim Jordan-B
1972-John Bory-G
Don Murphy-F
Dick Hooper-F
1971-Jack McGetrick-G
Walt Nadolny-B
1970-Jack McGetrick-G
Mike Gill-B
Dave Willard-B

1969-Bob VanSchaick-G
 Roy Pfeil-F
 Dave Willard-B
 1968-Bob Leahy-F
 Era Mugisa-F
 Peter Pepper-B
 1967-Bob Leahy-F
 Era Mugisa-F
 1966-Era Mugisa-F
 Paul Rose-F
 John Bocchiccio-B
 Dick Spina-B
 1965-Paul Rose-F
 Dick Joseph-B
 David Schletter-B
 1964-Dennis Stratton-RF
 Dick Joseph-LF
 Gordon Martin-CF
 1963-Gordon Martin-OL
 1962-Paul Fardy-RF
 Gordon Martin-OR
 Jim McGuidwin-OL
 1961-John Eden-LF
 Jim McGuidwin-OL
 1960-John Eden-LF
 Chris Sweeney-OR
 Ron Zorn-OL
 1959-Ron Zorn-OL
 Larry Perkins-CF
 Chris Sweeney-OR

CORTLAND'S ALL-STATE PICKS

1975
 Jim Jordan-HM

1972
 Chris Tyson-HM

1974
 Chris Tyson-HM

1971
 Jack McGetrick-2nd Team
 Walt Nadolny-HM

1970

Jack McGetrick-HM.

Dave Willard-HM

Mike Gill-HM

1969

Dave Willard-HM

1968

Peter Pepper-1st Team

Bob Leahy-HM

Era Mugisa-HM

1967

Richard Spina-1st Team

Lew Wendover-HM

Era Mugisa-HM

1966

Richard Spina-1st Team

Paul Rose-1st Team

1965

Richard Joseph-1st Team

Dave Schletter-HM

Paul Rose-HM

1964

Richard Joseph-2nd Team

Dennis Stratton-HM

Gordon Martin-HM

1963

Gordon Martin-HM

1962

Paul Fardy-1st Team

Jim McGuidwin-2nd Team

Francis Gallow-HM

Gordon Martin-HM

1961

John Eden-1st Team

Don Berkowitz-HM

Jim McGuidwin-HM

1960

Chris Sweeney-1st Team

John Eden-HM

Don Elsenheimer-HM

Ron Zorn-HM

1959

Chris Sweeney-2nd Team

Larry Perkins-2nd Team

Ken Peterson-HM

Don Elsenheimer-HM

Ralph Dreyer-HM

Ron Zorn-HM

JUNIOR VARSITY SOCCER ROSTER

<u>Name</u>	<u>Hometown</u>
Carl Agar	Burnt Hills
Jeffery Brown	Youngsville
Doug Burton	Cambridge
Larry Burton	Roslyn
Scott Campbell	Rochester
Wade Cummings	Nesconset
Jack Flatau	Tonawanda
Jim Gilman	Rochester
Greg Gove	Tappan
Bob Grisanzio	Holbrook
Graig Guthrie	Red Creek
Richard Hinrichs	East Moriches
Tom Hohensee	East Aurora
Mark Horowitz	Monticello
Ken Kapner	Valley Stream
Jim Kelly	Seaford
Leon Krementz	Smithtown
Chris Long	Homer
Jim Mayer	Balston Lake
George McCroy	Medford
Brad Rathburn	Friendship
Bruce Ruff	Latham
Rick Schmitt	Rochester
Robert Schwartz	Syracuse
Pat Sharkey	New City
Randy Shea	South Colton
Randy Tyson	Northport
Donald Witt	West Winfield
Jeffrey Zack	Waterbury, Vt.

1976 CORTLAND JUNIOR VARSITY SOCCER SCHEDULE

Sept. 22	Ithaca	Home	3:30
Oct. 2	Hamilton	Home	11:00
Oct. 12	Colgate	Away	3:00
Oct. 16	Hobart	Away	2:00
Oct. 26	Cornell	Home	3:00
Nov. 2	Morrisville	Away	3:00

1975 JUNIOR VARSITY RESULTS

6 Wins, 1 Loss

Cortland	3	Ithaca	1
Cortland	2	Colgate	0
Cortland	2	Morrisville	5
Cortland	3	Oswego	0
Cortland	5	Hamilton	2
Cortland	3	Cornell	0
Cortland	3	Hobart	0

CORTLAND VARSITY 1976 SOCCER ROSTER

Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown
Beebe, Bill	FB	5-10	160	Sr.	Baldwinsville
Brett, Hunter	F	6-0	185	Jr.	Smithtown
Brewer, Tom	HB	5-6	140	Jr.	North Babylon
Cossaboon, John	HB	6-0	160	Sr.	Rochester
Crawford, Steve	HB	5-8	165	Jr.	Auburn
Day, Millett	F	6-0	175	Sr.	Manlius
DeVoy, James	FB	5-10	155	So.	Fayetteville
Hooper, Fred	FB	6-0	170	Jr.	Elizabethtown
Judge, Matt	HB	5-7	130	Fr.	Webster
Law, David	HB	5-10	150	Jr.	East Freetown
Maginn, Kevin	HB	5-10	150	Jr.	Ogdensburg
Moore, Neale	HB	5-8	150	Fr.	Burnt Hills
Nizzi, Perry	FB	5-7	130	Sr.	Rome
Over, Brad	FB	5-10	145	So.	Manlius
Pearston, Larry	FB	5-10	160	Jr.	Webster
Porrazzo, Tom	F	6-1	150	Jr.	Lima
Predmore, Tim	HB	5-9	145	So.	Fairport

Reed, Phil	HB	6-0	170	Jr.	Savannah
Rice, Dan	HB	5-9	140	Sr.	Rochester
Siefuentes, Richard	F	5-10	160	Sr.	Farmingdale
Skivington, Mike	F	5-9	150	Jr.	Spencerport
Sullivan, Tim	HB	5-7	140	Sr.	Vestal
Tucker, Kevin	HB	5-11	160	Jr.	Webster
Wignot, Tom	G	6-3	180	Sr.	Walpole, Mass.
Wilson, Steve	F	5-11	165	Jr.	Fairport
Wingert, Philip	FB	6-0	170	Jr.	Cobleskill

Manager: Brad Ferguson, Rochester
 Trainer: Marty McMillan, Naples

1976 CORTLAND STATE VARSITY SOCCER SCHEDULE

Sept. 14	Syracuse	Home	3:30
Sept. 18	Geneseo	Home	2:00
Sept. 22	Ithaca	Away	3:30
Sept. 24	RPI	Home	3:30
Oct. 2	Albany	Away	3:30
Oct. 6	Binghamton	Home	3:30
Oct. 8	Potsdam	Away	3:30
Oct. 12	Colgate	Away	3:00
Oct. 16	Plattsburgh	Away	11 a.m.
Oct. 20	Brockport	Home	3:30
Oct. 26	Cornell	Home	3:30
Oct 29	New Paltz	Home	3:00
Nov. 3	Oneonta	Home	3:00